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In re Patent Application of: Thomas N. Chalin

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ARM HAVING ZERO CLEARANCE  
AXLE CONNECTION

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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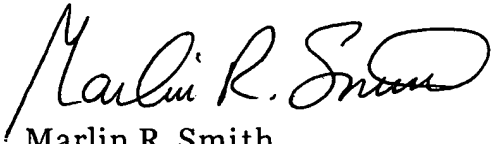


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